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Mr. David Wadell
Tennessee Regulatory Authority
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TN REGULATORY AUTHORITY

Dear Mr. Wadell,

99-00365

I am responding to your letter dated 4/29/99 concerning filing an Intra-Lata Dialing Parity Plan. As the TRA is aware, Access One Communications is a re-seller of the BellSouth network. As such, we do not operate any of our own plant and equipment and rely 100% on that of BellSouth. With this said, I am filing this plan under the assumption that BellSouth has already set up procedures to facilitate any customer's request.

If you have any questions please call me.

Sincerely,

Kevin D. Griffo

Attached: Intra-Lata Toll Dialing Parity Plan

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Access One Communications, Inc

Intra-Lata Toll Dialing Parity Plan

1. Purpose

The intent of this Plan is to provide a proposal that, upon implementation, would provide customers the ability to select the telecommunications carrier of their choice for routing their intra-lata toll calls.

Access One Communications is a re-seller of the BellSouth network and will be following their established guidelines and procedures for implementation of Intra-Lata Parity of toll calls.

2. Implementation Date and Areas of Availability

We are currently offering 2-PIC service in all BellSouth states including Tennessee. This has been available since we began operating in Tennessee in April of this year.

Availability in each exchange is dependent on BellSouth. We will mirror the list of exchanges that BellSouth has filed under their Plan.

3. Method of Selection Process and costs

Access One will follow the 2-PIC strategy established by BellSouth. With the 2-PIC methodology, customers will be able to presubscribe to one telecommunications carrier for inter-lata toll calls and presubscribe to the same or different carrier, including their existing local exchange company, for all intra-lata toll calls.

Access One employees are trained to explain the process to customers for making PIC changes for intra-lata toll calls. They will be prepared to make changes in customer records based upon request from customers or carriers and direct customers to their chosen intra-lata carrier. Processes will be in place to provide new customers with an opportunity to choose their intra-lata toll carrier from a list of available carriers. Customers who do not choose a carrier for intra-lata toll calls will be identified as a "No-PIC" and will not be automatically defaulted to a carrier.

Any fees imposed by BellSouth to Access One for PIC changes will be passed on to the customer at cost.

4. Customer Notifications

Customers will receive a bill insert advising them of the opportunity to choose an intra-lata toll carrier separate from their inter-lata carrier. They will also be advised that they may choose a carrier other than their local exchange carrier. Access One also believes that promotional material by other carriers will make customers aware of the choices available to them.

5. Cost Recovery

Access One does not anticipate any charges from BellSouth to implement their Parity Plan and therefore will not be assessing the customer any additional charges.

6. Miscellaneous Items

Slamming - Access One will be subject to rules relating to slamming as indicated in Tennessee Regulatory Authority Rule 1220-4-2-. 56, Sections (2) – (6).

Nondiscriminatory Access – Access One will follow the guidelines established by BellSouth for re-sell customers as they relate to access of telephone numbers; operator assistance; directory assistance; and directory listings.

Rules – Access One will fully comply with all rules and regulations set forth by the FCC and the TRA.